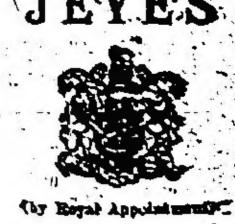
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LONDON, October 23. The railway strike has been postponed.

LONDON, October 23. The news of the postponement of the railway strike was received with intense relief and satisfaction by the general public and Labour circles, particularly the railwaymen.

FRESH NEGOTIATIONS.

LONDON, October 23.

The executives of the Miners' Federation and the Railwaymen's Union conferred to-day. The former, in thanking the railwaymen for their sympathetic strike, stated that Mr. Lloyd George had invited the Miners! Executive to a fresh conference. This invitation had been accepted. Therefore the Miners' Executive requested the railwaymen to suspend their strike in order not to prejudice the new negotiations. The miners' representatives meet the Government at Downing Street to-morrow morning. Therefore the railway strike has been postponed indefin itely. PEACE IN THE BALANCE.

LONDON, October 24. The new week opens with a distinctly more hopeful outlook in the industrial situation. Mr. Lloyd George, who remained in town over the week-end, is meeting the miners' leaders this morning. The meeting is in the nature of a preliminary talk with Messrs. Smillie, Hodges, Herbert Smith. and Robson, respectively President, Vice-President, Treasurer, and Secretary, of the Miners' Federation, in order if possible to reach a basis for discussion of a settlement. If such a basis is reached the Miners' Executive will meet the Government later in formal negotiations which are likely to last the greater part of the week. Peace, therefore, will be in the balance for some days, and resumption of work might even be delayed by the necessity of a third ballot. The subject matter of to-day's conversations, in spite of widespread rumours, is kept the closest secret.

THE DOWNING STREET CONFERENCE.

LONDON, October 24. The miners' leaders, Messrs. Smillie, Smith, Hodges, and Hartshorn, conferred for two hours with Mr. Lloyd George at No. 10 Downing Street this morning, after which Mr. Hodges stated that discussions were being continued.

READY FOR EMERGENCIES.

LONDON, October 23. The Emergency Bill provides for the issue of proclamations emergency whenever the action of any body of persons threatens interfere with the supply and distribution of food, water, fuel, light, means of locomotion. Should Parliament not be sitting when such an emergency arises it would be summoned immediately. The emergency regulations will be made by an Order in Council for the preservation of peace, for the supply of the necessaries of life, and for the maintenance of transit. Punishments are provided for a breach of the regulations.

INDIAN STRIKES

SERIOUS TROUBLE IN MADRAS MILLS

railway employees strike.

BOMBAY, October 24. Strikes and rumours of strikes are the order of the day in India. The Bombay gas strike has ended and the strikers have been dismissed. good tramway service has been maintained. It is reported from Jhansi that 4,500 (2) employees of the Great Indian Peninsula Railway have struck, while there is serious trouble at Buckingham Mills, Madras, where 7,000 employees have been locked out after an assault on a weaving master. The Karachi Daily Gazette did not appear on October 21 owing to a lightning strike of the entire mechanical staff.

RECOVERY OF FRANCE.

RECONSTRUCTING WAR-STRICKEN DISTRICTS.

WONDERFUL PROGRESS.

LONDON, October 21.

A Havas message states that national loan operations opened under the most favourable circumstances. The Finance Minister, speaking at Strasbourg, pointed out the steady progress in the great work of reconstructing the war-stricken districts. Railway traffic was now almostcompelely re-established but for a few miles. The commercial balance had greatly improved and exportation had increased in 1920 by 148-per cent against importation only 13 per cent.

INTERNATIONAL FOOTBALL

ENGLAND BEATS IRELAND.

LONDON, October 23. "soccer" match at Sunderland, England beat Ireland by 2 goals to ni

STARVING MAYOR:

LINGERING ON BUT STILL UNCONSCIOUS

LONDON, October 24. Mayor McSwiney on October 24 was lingering on but was still inscious. His sisters have not been allowed to see him.

THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 3/101 To-day's opening rate 3/107

POLICE REPORTS.

HOSPITAL PATIENT'S SUICIDE.

FATAL FALL INTO SHIP'S HOLD.

BITTEN BY A DOG.-A Chinese girl, aged 13 years, living at No. 85. Tokawan village, was yesterday removed to the Government Civil Hospital suffering from injuries 'to her thighs, caused by being biften by a

KNOCKED DOWN BY TRUCK .- A Chinese who was yesterday knocked down by a hand truck, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital suffering from injuries to his body. His condition is serious.

ATTACKED BY MOB. -- A Chinese soldier passing through the Colony. bound from Swatow to Canton, who was yesterday attacked by a mob of coolies in Praya East, was so severely handled that he had to be removed to the Government Civil Hospital. Kwongsi military officer was also attacked by the mob, and suffered ininvies to his head. He was also removed to the Hospital. One of his assailants has been arrested.

INSTANTANEOUS DEATH. - The police received a telephone message from the Government Civil Hospital this morning to the effect that Indian Constable B148, a patient in the hospital, committed suicide on Saturday by jumping from the verandah of the first floor of the hospital. Death was instantaneous.

PAINT SCRAPER'S DEATH.-The body of a male Chinese, aged about 18 years, was vesterday removed to the Public Mortuary. The deceased. who was a paint scraper,"met his death? by accidentally failing into the hold of the s.s. "Guzarat," while at work. He fell a distance of some thirty feet and was killed instantaneously. Both legs were broken.

STOLEN FISH .- Two Chinese boys who were this morning charged before Magistrate Smith with the theft of a basket of fish, the property of a fish monger, pleaded "guilty." The police said that while the complainant was engaged in perchasing a ticket at the Mongkok ferry wharf yesterday, the defendants sneaked up and stole the basket of fish. The defendants took the fish to the Western Market where they were in the act of dividing the spoils when they were arrested. ... Sentence of 14 days' hard labour and 8 strokes with the rattan

was passed. FORBIDDEN WEAPON -- A Chinese woman was this morning charged before Magistrate Smith with the unlawful possession of a revolver and 30 rounds of ammunition. A Chinese detective said that he boarded the s.s. Kwongsi" vesterday, on her arrival from up river. As he entered the defendant's cabin, he saw her trying to conceal the revolver by tying it to her thigh with a piece of cloth. The woman admitted possession of the contraband, but pleaded ignorance. The Magistrate remarked that it was obviously a case of a passenger passing through the Colony. It was evident that the commband was not intended for smuggling into Hongkong. He would impose the lenient fine of \$25, and order the confiscation of the revolver and the ammunition which was found under the couch in the

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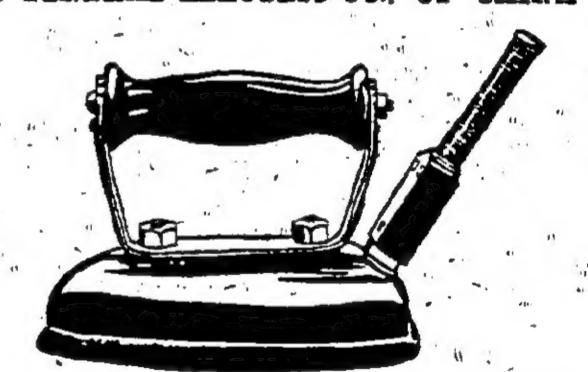
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NEEDS OF THE COLONIES.

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STRIKE SITUATION.

LONDON, October 23rd This morning's outlook in the industrial situation may be summed up in the words of Mr. Lloyd George Jesterday to a deputation on the temperance question.

The Premier declared that peace, may be HONGKONG to hold a SMOKING brought about within a few hours. On the CONCERT in the Theatre Royal on other hand, the situation may delelop into one of the greatest struggles the country has ever experienced. The miners' representatives, late last night, were distinctly hopeful that the week-

end will see a great improvement. The Government's condition that advance in wages must depend on increased output still holds, and the miners realise the fact that adequate guarantees are required. There is a strong feeling that railway stoppage would not be responded to by

more than 50 per cent. of the railwaymen; Mr. J. H. Thomas is definitely stated to be opposed to a railway strike. The opinion is held that he would resign the leadership f such a strike occurred. Meanwhile, the strike has sireedy rendered adle at least 150,000 workers, and the miners' wages lost amount to £3,500,000 and the coal lost to 3,750,000 tons.

Loxpos October 22nd. The Daily Express understands that a determined attempt to postpone the strike notices has been decided on. The railway leader Mr. J. H. Thomas has refused to TANG LLUY & CO.

LONDON: October 22nd. A ray of hope has appeared in the coal situation as a result of informal conversations between Ministers and miners, and it is stated that the executive of the Miners' Federation, most of whom are scattered over the country, may be summaned to London to-day.

It is pointed out that the miners' leaders are equally disconcerted as the Ministerialists by the railwaymen's and transport workers' precipitate action which was not invited and not wanted by the mineral This at least is a sign that the miners do not desire fresh obstacles. in the path of the present conversations, and the desire for a settlement is known to be very

Mr. Smillie, speaking at Glasgow last night, declared that "if the Government concede the 2s. advance, we are willing to co-operate with the mine-owners, and we know that output can be increased within 4 to 5 months by 20,000,000 tams.

London, October 22nd. The Railwaymen's Conference has invit ed the Miners' Executive to meet them at 4 o'clock to-morrow. The Miners' Executive has been called to London to meet and consider the railwaymen's invitation and the general situation.

Great significance is attached to the calling of the Miners' Executive in London to-morrow, as it is regarded as the first real move towards ending the deadlock, for it is the first meeting of the Executive since strike was declared. Accordingly, it is considered that there is a strong possibility of the negotiations with the Government and owners being resumed before the fatal Sunday midnight. To-morrow and Sunday are, therefore, to be crucial periods.

It is noteworthy to remark that the powerful Associated Society of Enginemen and Firemen, whose membership is over seventy thousand, has not yet come to a decision to join the railwaymen's strike if it eventuates and has deferred consideration or sympathetic action until Monday. Lospos, October gond.

There are indications that the Railwaymen's Executive blundered badly when they decided on a strike on Octiber 24th unless the mining trouble were solved. Incidentally, Mr. Thomas has authorised

the statement that he is personally opposed to the decision: Influences are evidently at work at least to secure a suspension of the threatened measure.

It is understood that the miners, at tomortow's joint conference with railwaymen, will suggest a postponement until after a special meeting of the Trade Union Congress which the latter's Parliamentary Committee decided to-day, after long deliberation, to correre on October 127th.

The Executives of all the Unions affiliated to the Congress have been summoned to this conference whose object is carefully in non-committal language, namely, " to consider how best to give such help to the miners so to ensure the success of their efforts for the settlement of the disputa."

The Committee has simultaneously expressed a desire that no separate body should take action which may tend to defeat unity of effort. The foregoing moves have evidently been determined upon as result of the impression that the informal conversations to-day, which are being continued to-morrow, between ministers and miners' leaders, with a view to arriving at a basis for a conference of mine-owners and miners with the Government are likely to bear good fruit.

OIL-MARKET SENSATION.

AMSTERDAM, October 23rd. The Handel blad, commenting on the subsidiary Standard Oil Company states that 51 per cent, of the capital will be per cent to the Standard Oil Group." It draws attention to the fact that the Banque de Paris recently participated in the transactions, in which the Royal Dutch and the Bhell were also represented and contends that the new -agreement can hardly be regarded as directed against the Royal Dutch and Shell. On the contrary the fact that the Banque de Paris is intimately related to both groups indicates that an agreement has been reached.

MISSING LINK.

LONDON, October 23rd. The Daily Mail correspondent at New York states that the "Missing Link" Expedition, promoted by the Museum of Natural History and the American Anatic Society for which a fund of 250,000 sterling has been provided will leave New York early in February for Peking which will be the headquarters of the expedition. which, it is hoped will bring back the greatest natural history collection of the The Museum's announcement says that

leading accentists believe that Asia was the early bome of the human races and what ever light winch may be thrown on the origin of man will come from the great Central Asian plateau. The Star amnounces that Mr. J. P. Morgan and Mr. Harriman, of shipping fame, have subscribed to the venture.

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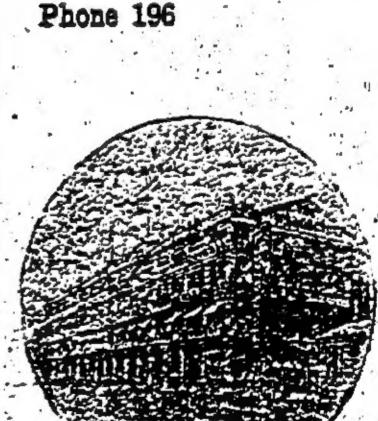
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Heald, a daughter. :WALLACE .- On October 20, 1920 at Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wallace, a son. DOWLER.-On October, 29, 1920

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HONGKONG, MONDAY, OUT. 25, 1980.

ADVOCATUS DIABOLI.

This was a popular nickname in . In 1915 the coal price was raised trol," to check the rising price and Rome for the officer of the Sacred four shillings under the Limitation cost of living-for dearer coal makes Congregation of Rites whose duty Act. . In 1916 in South Wales and almost everything else dearer and was to prepare all possible argu- Dean Forest only; 2s. 6d. more was for a worth-while living for themments against the admission of any put on. In 1917 an all-round half- selves. If you study these figures. new saint. Urban VIII made his crown was added. In 1918 another, and contrast them with the asserintervention necessary to the valid- In June 1919 it went up six shill- tions of the other side, you may ity of any canonization or beatifica- ings more. In December of the find, as we do, a certain hesitation roughly with that of the King's dealy decreased by ten shillings, strikers. Proctor, whose job is to see that only to be raised 14s. 2d. in May undeserving persons do not get the this year. It is this 14s. 2d. which blessing of divorce. The idea of the miners insist was unnecessary, both is excellent. There is nothing a political trick, and demand to be like, making sure, especially where taken off again. At the same time men are apt to be warmest when industrial coal was raised 4s. 2d. they are least sure. A conspicuous As regards costs of production; the example of the exercise of the prin- Government cannot include in fur- on sprouting. To-day, we; and For sale by all Chemists and Store ciple was afforded by our Trafalgar ther camouflage. The Statistical doubtless others, received through keepers

Day note last week, showing how differently accepted incidents in the career of Nelson may be regarded. The article gave great offence to some of our naval readers, who are, of course, professional idolaters of admirals, really much more heroic tion, and £26,000,000 for the ownmen, were reproached (by parrots) ers, and-of course-including for lack of "the Nelson touch." every increase of wages in the cost We fear that our critics are more of production.

Government " control."

really to hear the miners' case, their wage, and so recognized. which we understand to be as fol- They are fighting chiefly against

job regardless of party politics, has document : published the figures up to March | Reed. 22nd Oct., 1920. this year, and they can be bought

by anybody for a penny. They show taccording to the mineral that even including the 2s. 10d. nankind. Keep us from all evil due to the rise of wages in March, and bring us to dwell with thee. there was a working balance of This prayer is to go all through £1,500,000 per quarter; or six mil- the world and see what happens. lions sterling per annum, after It is said that those who write it allowing for the owners' profits and send it to nine persons will on (£26,000,000) guaranteed by the 10th day receive good news and Coal Controller) for depreciation, will be delivered from all calamity. for interest on debentures, and for But those who pass it by will meet other capital adjustments under the with some misfortune. Don't break Finance Acts.

"nationalization." even though it be called merely "control." The Government has been setting aside 26 millions for the owners, clear profit, and taking what was left. This sounds good for the owners, yet they have been agitating for de-control. Their agents have been reserving the good coal seams, in view of early de-control, and causing the miners and the Government to do their best with the stony cipient will do as we did, and seams. This explains much of the decreased production, for which the miners have been wholly blamed. The person who mailed it to us is hereby seriously informed that he The miners say that the Government was determined to oblige the by relinquishing control and that these increases were necessary, with that view, to put the less rich mines on a paying basis, the Control, of course, having been pooling the production. This, or something very near it. was admitted in Parliament. Output is outside the men's control. Plant was allowed to deteriorate during the war, when thousands of mine workers were withdrawn for The army. No new shafts were sunk, as they would have been Fordinary times, to decrease the distance that the coal must be brought to the surface, and to open up pay ing seams. Maintenance and development, for which the colliery companies had heavy reserves, yet untouched, fell heavily in arrears, Since the war ended, more men have been out on this work, which faccounts for less actual production. Real miners (coal getters) are large-Iv outnumbered by these "abnormai place men, or removers of overburden. Deficient transport facilities also affect the output. Comparison of pre-war output and this year's is therefore grossly misleading. It is management and students of the faculty. organization, and not the miners, who should promise larger output.

increases do not account for the Government's · rake was a swelling factor. At the of the financial year they had £5.700.000. By May it was £9,500,000... June added £5,600,000 more, and by July 14 the accumulawe found a grim satisfaction in the tion was £18,000,000-after setting Education Department entertained remembrance that certain living aside the usual sums for deprecia-

gallant than wise. We only men-1. On the present arrangement the tion the incident at all because we miners show a surplus for the propose now to discuss the subject Government of six millions, a that is at the front of public attentmonth, and that bound to grow as tion, and that, so far as Hongkong time goes on. The increase they is concerned, is not getting the rea- now demand will cost £2,250,000 soned consideration it deserves, and a month, and if the 14s. 2d. is can only receive if someone be will-knocked off the price, as they ining to play the part of Devil's Ad- sist, it will reduce the surplus by vocate. In matters fraught with a further £3,070,000, leaving the such grave consequences—possibly Government £680,000 a month, or CAMPBELL-STEELE. On Sept. wider and deeper than any of us over eight millions sterling a year. , at Eastbourne, Captain Alister guess—we should take pains to be Under the law (of Control) onetenth of that would be added to the The Hongkong attitude, encour- owners' profit of 26 millions. Nine-Shanghai, and Mrs. Alex. Camp- aged by many comments in Reuter tenths of it would go to the Exbell. Eastbourne, to Rosalie and the Home Press, seems to be chequer. The miners could have Muriel Ellen, widow of Lt.-Col. roughly this, that the coal miners had their rise if they would have following statement, issued to-day by are too well off, lazy, discontented waived their demand for the 14s. the Kailan Mining Administration to IONES - ROBERTS .- slackers who have an inflated sense 2d. reduction in the price, but they the Chinese and foreign press. On Sept. 8, at St. James's of the power their union gives insisted on both. They say it is Piccadilly. Gershon them. There will be opinions less an essential beginning towards re- inst. a most serious explosion occurred Stewart Jones, LL.B., of Shang- sweeping than that, of course a but ducing the cost of living, and that at Tongshan. The explosion set House. The honeymoon is being hai, to Irene Finch, daughter of if there is such a thing as an " aver- the Home, consumers deserve as fire to the coal and mining timber. Dr. Sidney Roberts, M.A., Can- age "opinion, we believe we have much consideration as the miners The gas and smoke produced perexposed it fairly correctly. We or the Government. This was such colated to other workings in which a chine. HURNBULL - MITCHELL. - On heard one man declaring his indign- a strong argument, and was work- large number of coolies were em-Aug. 30, at Dundee, David ation that an ignorant, common ing such a strong influence on the ployed. Turnbull, of Shanghai, to May coalminer should already be getting public mind (as it was perhaps Mitchell, of West Newport: Fife, more money than many a Univer- meant to do) that the red herring sity man is getting! The fact that of the "free " coal that the miners' he himself is not a University man, are supposed to get was dragged not educated, and yet getting more across the trail. It appears that in money than many a scholar who some districts they are allowed coal has spent many pounds and years for their own use "free," and in in training, did not occur to him others at a reduced price. But they as a relevance. He did not even promptly showed that this was a know that the mines are still under mistake. They have to mine the coal they get " free " without being Let us try to be patient enough paid for mining it. It is part of

His coffice: corresponded same year household coal was sud- against plumping against the

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

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Arrived by M. M. "Cordillere," Messrs G. A. H. Potts, Britton, Seif-Miss Clarke, Mrs Maylin, Mr.C. F. Fay, Mr J. Wilkinson, Mr G. D.

After forty years service on the China Coast, Mr. I. Williams is retiring and leaves shortly for Australia. He has been for many years a chief engineer in the China Navigation

P ofessor N. G. Earle, M.A., M.B. Professor of Physiology and Dean of the Faculty of medicine at the Hongkong University, who is shortly proceeding on leave, has been sented with a silver tea set by the

We are asked to announce that The figures show that the wage any members of the Helena May Institute who wish to engage tables increase of price. Up to July 14 for the Tea Dance to be held at the Institute on Thursday next, the 28th October, should apply at the Institute and pay on application.

> At the To Yuen Hotel on Saturday night the Chinese staff of the Mr. B. Tanner of Queen's College, serious, who is going on leave, to a farewell dinner. During the evening Mr. Tanner was asked to accept a present on behalf of his mother.

MINE EXPLOSION.

APPALLING DISASTER

DETAILS OF THE ACCIDENT.

A Tientsin message dated Oct. 19 states that further details of the colliery explosion at Tongshan, (mentioned in a special telegram to the China Mail), which, as already reported, resulted in the loss of over 400 lives, are made public in the

Rescue work, directed by the Acting Engineer-in-Chief and foreign staff, was immediately started. The rescuers penetrated everywhere as soon as the circumstances permitted One hundred and nineteen labourers were brought alive to the surface and resuscitated, but the administration regrets that the deathroll was

adequate precautions were taken in the mines, and suggests that the MountedInfantry Section, is promoted disaster was caused through coolies | Sergeant with effect from .1st Octostriking lights, as cigarettes were ber, 1920.

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[China Mail SPECIAL]

SHANGHAL Oct. 25 Ferdinand Boulon, formerly manager of Gaston, Williams, and Wigthis chain of prayer, but do it more. Shanghai, has been arrested quickly and with devotion. Only and released on bail on a charge of the mines, as they do now, it is on each copy write when received embezzlement. Interviewed, he said that he would surely establish his in-

MISSING RUSSIAN GIRL.

HELD FOR RANSOM.

[China Mail SPECIAL.]

SHANGHAL Oct. 25. An anonymous letter demands \$4,000 ransom for Linda Moors, missing Russian girl, who was recently seen in the streets of Shanghai in Chinese clothes. The police are confident of apprehending the kidnappers.

the 3-year mysteriously disappeared on the night | tributors to the side. They hit ou ward was offered for her recovery.]

ert, Miss E. Potts. Mrs E. Brown, DANGEROUS TRAVELLING.

A male Chinese, aged about 42 was on Saturday removed to Government Civil Hospital suffering rom a bullet wound in the adom

The patient was a passenger in the express train from Canton Kowloon, and was wounded Kwongsi soldiers firing into the train as it passed Pingwoo, in Chinese

The matter was reported to

ocal police immediately on the train's arrival at Shatin, and the wounded man was conveyed to hospital where he now lies in a critical condition. Another Chinese, a passenger inthe same train, who was bound for Wonglik from Sheklung, was wounded in the right side. He was also brought into British territory removed to the Government Hospital. His condition

WEDDING.

ROSSER-WILLIAMS.

A wedding of considerable local interest took blace at St. John's Cathedral this afternoon when Mr. A. J. W. Rosser of the P. & O. Co. was married to Miss Jeanette Williams, the officiating clergyman being the Rev. E. W. L. Martin. The bride was given away by Lt-

Col. R. M. Crosse and wore a dress of brocade and georgette. She was attended by Miss Jean Bird, while Mr. T. W. Hill acted as best man The service in the Cathedral was choral, the hymns being "Thine for ever God of love" and "O Perfect Love," As the bridal party left the Church the Wedding March "On the afternoon of the 14th played. Following the ceremony a reception was held at Headquarters spent at Fanling. The bride's going away dress was of grey crepe de

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS.

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PROMOTION. No. 179 Private S. E. Grimstone,

G. F. E. RAPSON, Bt.-Major, Adjutant, H.V.D. Corps. Hongkong, October 25, 1920.

There will be a Meeting of all Officers and N. C. Os. at headquarters on Tuesday, 26 October, at 6 p.m. A Meeting will also be held diphtheris in the neighbourhood children Headquarters on Wednesday, 27. that have colds should be kept at home October, at 6 p.m. to discuss formstion of a Football Team. All interested in Football are requested to department. Pearce, Sayer, and

Adjutant, H.V.D. Corps. Hongkong, October 25, 1920.

WEEK END SPORT

INTERPORT TRIAL MATCH.

The batsmen had a very good time in the Interport trial cricket match played on the Hongkong C.C., ground Saturday, between teams captained by Mr. R. Hancock and Mr. A. R. Wood, and hig scores on both sides were the order of the day. The game was very interesting, and although it started at 11.45 a.m., a draw was registered when stumps were drawn, leaving Wood's team with three men who were unable to have a knock before the wickets. Individual scores were high.

Hancock's team opened the yame and compiled 247 runs. The start was none too encouraging, but as the game progressed, the batsmen settled account of themselves. Good partnerships between Turner and Braga and Turner and Hancock, raised the total considerably. After hours of batting, the

the" previous trials, came into his scoring boundaries on no less than well in his own way and proved to be a useful help to his side. glances to leg were very pretty. old a score of 63, he had eleven fours to daughter of the manager of the his credit. Farthing (37) and Turner Bank at Hankow (35) were the next two highest conof Sept. 17 on the steamer "Woo- at everything that came their way. sung" bound for Hankow, in the Wood's bowlers had a very had time vicinity of Chinkiang. \$2,000 re- with the batters. The only two with satisfactory averages were Wodehouse and Edwards.

Wood's innings was opened at p.m. His batters had to put up very hard fight to secure the runs, but they went about it a "never say die" spirit which won the admiration of all the spectators present With three wickets fallen for 39, Davies and Blaker went into partnership with keen determination, and played so well together, that total was raised to 78 before Davies ears, a native of Wongwei village, was caught by de Rome off his own Cheungia district, Chinese territory, bowling. Davies' score was made up of six fours and one six. Blaker's partner their play together splendid that 176 runs were register-

ed on the board before the partnership could be broken. Blaker's con tribution to his side was 48 runs compiled by means of very steady play. Wood's display was brilliant and his return to form was muci welcomed. He scored 69 (not out) including four sixes and and seve fours. The innings was closed with

The scores were: MR. HANCOCK'S XI.

T. E. Pearce, b Reed G. R. Sayer, c Blaker, b Wode-W. C. D. Turner, c Wodehouse. Edwards

213 runs for the fall of seven wickets.

F. J. de Rome, b Bird 4 Malaya, and is composed as follows: R. Hancock, b Edwards 68 -F. H. J. Caryll (Singapore). A. A. E. L. Brage, I.b.w., b Edwards ... 63 Claxton (Singapore), N. Grenier Major Bagnall, std. Franks, b Edwards..... P. E. Daskett, c and b Wodehouse 12 H. P. Hennessy (Selangor,) A. E.

E. G. Kennett, b Davies F. H. Farthing, c Franks, b Wodehouse 37 Merander, not out Extras

Bowling Analysis.

Wodehouse13 Reed 8 *-Bowled a no ball t-Bowled a wide.

MR. WOOD'S XL Cept. Olliver, b Farthing -----Capt. Gray, b Alexander 12 Choa Man Ping, c Lammert, b R. J. D. Wodehouse, c Bagnall, b Alexander Capt. Davies, c and b de Rome ... 33 Un Hew Fan, b Omar A. E. Wood, not out 69 Shin Man Ping, b Omar 25

Lieut. Franks, c Hancock, b de

Reed, Hamilton and Bird did not bat. Bowling Analysis.

Alexander 12 Farthing 12 Baskett 6 De Rome.... Kennett Bagnell

ET "THROWN OUT." Conditions on Saturday nearly approximated to those that matches come to be played, and on this account it was a more important test than most of the other trials. The wicket was fast and plumb and our batsmen showed that they can take advantage of this type of wicket and that we are pretty good in that Wodehouse did not come off but all G. F. E. RAPSON, Bt. Major, our other bate gave good displays, and I was particularly, glad to see

A. E. Wood knock up a spendid

69 not out. If he once gets

formidable bats we have, and his work in the field is just as good. Hancock, Davies, and Turner all showed to advantage with the bat and will form a splendid nucleus for our representative eleven; while Franks as wicket-keeper was splendid, and there was only one four bye in an innings lasting over three hours. Braga made some very pretty strokes in his contribution of 63, but he should never have reached 20 and be was dropped in all about four times. In Hancock's eleven not one of the bowlers tried was at all good, in fact they were hardly up to club form. I am satisfied that Alexander is not the bowler that we want and I do not consider him worth another trial. Farthing was also poor and I am afraid that his hopes of a place are very poor indeed. One bright thing about him down, and were soon giving a good on Saturday was his batting display which was unexpectedly good. On the other side despite the fact that the bowling averages do not look well on paper, the bowling was quite good. Davies was most unfertunate reached the 200 mark. Hancock in having catches missed from his who had met with bad luck in bowling in the slips, and under ordinary circumstances he ought to own on Saturday, when, hitting with have had three wickets before tiffin his usual vigour, he made 68 runs, for about 25 runs. Reed, Edwards and Wodehouse all missed catches, that ought to have been easy. Reed has erred in this connection before and I think that it is a mistake to field him in the slips at all. great not possible for Davies to field slip to his own bowling, as he is the most finished player we have in this position. Bird found the wicket too true, and he could get very little turn on the bill. Wodehouse and Edwards had the best averages and both saw that it was useless to try to hit the sticks and played for catches. After tiffin Davies seemed to have given up the idea of trying to get batsmen out in the slips, and to be trying to hit the stumps, and this cost his side a lot of runs. I would like to have seen Rumjahn on Saturday's wicket and fancy that he would have got a

is one of the most finished and

ilmost a necessity. The one thing that ought to have been learned from Saturday's game is the fact that on the hard true wickets that we may expect a fortnight hence, and on our rather small ground, fielding counts for more than almost anything else and that slackness in this department will certainly cost us matches. We seem to be quite good in the outfield, but not nearly nippy enough close in, and with bowlers like Davies, Bird, and Wodehouse as our stand-bys this is a very serious

number of wickets in the country.

It is a pity that we have not a slow

bowler of the Maas type as on

occasions, that sort of change is

THE SINGAPORE TEAM

The Straits Interport cricket team which is due to sail from Singapore to Hongkong on the P. & O. "Somali," early next month, is representative of (Perak), N. A. M. Griffin (Singapore). Major F. H. Gunner (Singapore), Dr. Holman Brown (Selangor), Dr. W. W. Martin (Penang), H. O. Mitchell (Singapore), V. E. H. Rhodes (Selangor), E. J. Riches (Singapore) and L. A. Tucker (Selangor). The team is being accompanied by Mr. Halliwell as umpire.

CRAIGENGOWER DEFEATS CHINESE.

Craigengower secured an easy victory over the Chinese by three wickets, a feature of game being the bowling of U. Omar. who secured 7 wickets for 33 runs. Scores:-

Omat en management restrance and the one 0 Ng Szekwong, b Omar 23 6 H. Ching, c Jex, b Abbas Total (for 7 wickets)213 | Mak Kin Sze, b Abbas.....

> Bowling Analysis. 0 Omar 16 4

*-Bowled 3 wides. CRAIGENGOWER. R. Basa, c Wei, b Ching 22 M E. Asger, c Ching, b Ng ... 20 W. Bradbury. Lb.w., b Shin 32

Extras 20

F. G. Thompson, b Ng

M. H. Abbas, b Shin 21

Total (for 7 wickets)174

Bowling Analysis. g Sie Kwong 10 0 40

Ching 8 1 25 hin Man Ping 6 0 28 2 Bowled a wide.

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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

I Residen's Service " The China Marie ...

KING OF GRIECE.

CONDITION NOW VERY CRITICAL.

.. ATHENS, October 24.

The King has entered a very acute phase of cerebral crisis and his consition is most critical. Prof. Vidal has personally contradicted the story " attributed to him as regard ssymptoms of hydrophobia upon which the statement rested that the King was the victim of a deliberate attempt on his life. The infection, says Prof. Vidal, has nothing to do with rabies.

TENNIS.

COVERED COURTS CHAMPIONSHIPS.

LONDON, October 24.

In the world's covered courts Lawn Tennis Championships at Queens Club in the finals of the men's Singles, Gordon Lowe beat W. C. Crawley 6-26-3,6-1. In the Doubles, P. Davison and Mavrogordato beat F. Fisher and A. Beamish 1-6,10-8,13-11,3-6,6-3. In the Mixed Doubles Fisher and Mrs Peacock, lady champion of India, had a walk over from Doust and Miss McKane, who scratched. In the Ladies Singles Mrs. Beamish beat Miss McKane 6-25-7.7-9.

AGGRESSIVE POLES.

LITHUANIAN SITUATION WORSE

LONDON, October 24.

"The Lithuanian situation grows progressively worse. The Poles, not content with occupying Vilna, are now apparently extending their annexation to Kovno. In spite of official disapproval, the so-called Zelegowski Corps is pushing towards Kovno. There is reason to fear that the Poles are preparing to establish a Polish Government at Kovno, which shall immediately declare union with Poland. The Poles command overwhelming ly superiority in forces and are pushing on with tanks, aircraft, and guns.

" JAPANESE SHIPPING.

NO MORE SUBSIDIES

CHANGE IN SYSTEM TO BEGIN AS N.Y.K. CONTRACTS EXPIRE.

shipping subsidies, and it is expected few months, the authorities are now that this intention will be carried out considering what new arrangements first in regard to the Nippon Yusen Kaisha beginning with the next the present subsidy system, at least

The subsidy contracts between the Department of Communications and Antwerp line, the Puget Sound line, and the Melbourne line expire at the much discussion as to the advisability of continuing to grant subsidies to shipping companies. It is contended by many shipping men that subsidies are required by companies which without the aid of the Government but are not needed by those which are fully independent. Instead subsidies to old established companies, they should be used for the opening of new lines, it is believed.

Especially when the subsidies are no longer desired by the companies themselves, there is no reason why, the next session of the Diet th's the subsidy system should be continued. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha: is one of the companies which do not, now receiving oversea shipping sub- make the noise he did. need Government aid. Subsidies are only granted with various conditions and obligations on the part of its and the Toyo Kisen Kaisha: If the recipients, and the desire of the ship subsidy system is not abolished, the ping firms to get rid of the subsidy. Nippon. Yusen Kaisha will receive released from those obligations.

SUBSIDIES MEAN DISCRIMINATION. Apart from this question, the Nippon granting of Government subsidies to Osaka Shosen Kaisha, but the latter much criticism in foreign countries, with regard to these subsidies until regarding the subsidy system of the contracts expire. mentally altered.

poresent subsidy system. As a matter Japan Advertiser.

intention of making a change to the recent meeting of the Marine Committee, which is a body of shipowners and shipping experts whose duty it is to consider ways and mean of promoting the shipping interests of the country, especially in regard to the oversea trade.

As the subsidy contracts of the

The Government intends to abolish Nippon Yusen Kaisha expire in a should be made with that company, The authorities are of opinion that in so far as it relates to the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, is behind the times, and contemplate abolishing the present subsidies in favour of a the Nippon Yusen Kaisha for the new arrangement if agreement is reached between the Government and the company. It is understood that the intention of the authorend of this year, but there has been lities is to pay a certain amount of money for the carrying of mails

under the new arrangement.

NEGOTIATIONS NOW IN PROGRESS. With this object in view, it is unare unable to maintain their services derstood that the authorities are negotiating with the management of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, and it is expected that the proposal will assume definite shape before long, he would like an example to be In all probability a Bill providing for for the abolition of the subsidy sys business in the servants' quarters. tem and for the institution of a new arrangement will be introduced in

The Japanese companies which are sidies are only the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, is mainly due to their desire to be subsidies totalling about Yen 1,500,-000 in the next financial year. Formerly the subsidy for the Puge Yusen Kaisha and Tananese vessels means in some cases has recently declined its share in Macrimination against foreign ship favour of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha ming, and the system sometimes and in return has obtained a subsidy causes trouble in regard to the rela- for the new line to the east coast of tions between Japanese and foreign South America. The Toyo Kisen chips. As a case in puirt, Japanese Kaisha is in recept of subsidies for its shipping men point to those stipuia. San Francisco service and the line to tions of the new Merchant Marine the west coast of South America, lis Law of America which in their eyes contracts with the Government are constitute discrimination against good until January, 1921, and it is Japanese ships. Further, there is expected that no action will be taken

Japan. In the circumstances it is of It seems that the intention of the necessary that the system be funda- Government is to abolish subsidies for old lines which no longer need From this point of view the Japan- them, and instead, assist the shipping ese authorities contemplate the companies in opening new lines.

UP RIVER NEWS.

PIRATES GET BIG HAUL

AMERICAN LADIBS RESCUED.

The launch "Hung Yuen" birated last Thursday evening, while towing a passenger junk between Sam Shui and Luc Law. The launch was" about *hree miles below, Sai Nam on the Fatshan Creek when about 20 of the passengers suddenly produced revolvers. The launch was stopped and immediately number of sampans put off from the bank acting in collusion with other robbers. The junk was looted passengers and crew being robbed of valuables to the extent of about \$10,000. The sergeant of the guard and the compradore of the junk, together with 23 of the passengers were taken away and General troops from Sam Shui of learning of the occurrence, but news has yet been received of the captives.

RESCUE AT SZE MI. News was received in Sam Shui on October 15 that the house occupied by some lady missionaries at Sze Mi on the Bamboo River had been burned by robbers and that the ladies were in distress.

The British Vice-Consul, Mr. Si who was at Sam Shui requested M Willis, local manager of the Asiati Petroleum Company, to go to then

Reporting on the rescue of a part

of American ladies at Sze Mi to Mi

Sly, H. B. M.'s Vice-Consul, Mr. D. Willis says: As requested I left Samshui, unarmed, accompanied by Messrs. Kelly and Spence of the Sainam Misson by Standared Oil Co's M. B. Wah Mee, and proceeded up the North River and then up the Bamboo River. Opposite Ma Forg some soldiers belonging to challenged and wanted to know where we were bound for. The waterway to Sze M very shallow and the Wah Mee grounded several times. We were not molested or interfered going up the Bamboo river. When nearing Sze Mi we saw a junk coming down the river flying the Cross and several American flags This proved to be the party of American ladies whom we had come to rescue. We went alongside the junk and took the ladies on board the Wah Mee. They were escaping by the junk together with some Chinese converts. The junk was towed to

were handed over." In connection with his work Mr. Willis has received a charming letter of thanks from the American pentecostal Mission at Sam Shui.

Sim Shui where the launch went

alongside H.M.S. Moth and the ladies

BATTLE PROBABLE.

More troops on both sides have of fact, Mr. Noda, the Minister of been moved towards Shui Hing dur-Communications, expressed his the week end and it is expected that battle will be fought there.

NUISY SERVANTS QUARTERS.

TRESPASSER CAUGHT.

BANK ASSISTANT'S COMPLAINT.

charged before Magistrate Smith with trespassing into the servants' quarters of the Chartered Bank at 12.30 this morning. Mr. Simpson, an assistant of the

bank, said that he was awakened by a noise in the servants' quarters. He went out to investigated and as he entered the quarthe defendant attempted to dash past him. Witness caught the defendant, and finding that he was not one of the servants, handed him over to the police. Mr. Simpson said that he had often been awakened in the middle of the night by noises in the servants' quarters, but had not been able to discover the person responsible. Now that he had got the delendant, made of him. The defendant had no The defendant said that he went

to the place to look for a friend. Mr. Simpson said that that might be so, but the hour was very late, and the defendant had no business to The Magistrate imposed a fine of \$10, or 14 days' hard labour.

OLD NEWSPAPERS.

CLAIM IN SUMMARY COURT.

formed the subject matter of a claim between the Chip Yuen firm who sued the Yan Fat Co for \$386 60 as damages for breach of contract. Mr. G. R. Haywood appeared for the planetists and Mr. C. F. Mason for the detendants.

-Op ning the case, Mr. Haywood said on June 2nd, the parties entered into a contract under which plaintiff was to sell and detendant to buy 324 piculs of old newspapers at \$6.54 per orcul Delivery was to be made 35 days later, but defendants refused delivery. .. There were various interviews and offers and eventually plaintiffs sold the papers by private treaty at \$5.10 per picut The claim included godown rent, interest and loss on the transaction.

The fixture card of the Hongkong Cricket Club has been received, showing Interport week from Nov. 8 to 13.

The total output of the Kailan Mining Administration's mines the week ending October 9, 1920; amounted to 76,489 tons and the sales during the period, to 73,269

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENT:

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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All claims must be presented within a week of the steamer's arrival here, after which they cannot be recognised. No claim will be admitted after the goods have left the godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after November 2nd will be subject to rent.

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TO-NIGHT

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Time and place will be notified later. H. L. DENNYS,

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M.G.C. AUSTRALIAN TEAM.

PERTH (W. Arstrillia), Oct. 22nd." Oring to a case of typhus on board the Orierley, the ship has been quarantined and the Marylebone Cricket Club team will not be allowed to disembark at Persh. The match has been abandoned. The interley sails for Adela'de to-day.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VANCOUVER, October 22nd British Columbia has roted overwhelmingly in farour of Government control of figuor sale at a special election. The defeat of the present "Dry" Act was conclusive, the majority against the measure: being 15,000 votes.

VILNA EPISODE

London, October 22nd. The Lithuanian Change d'Affaires in London has protested to the League of Nations against the occupation of Vilnarequesting the application of Paragraph XVI. of the Covenant with reference to arbitration by the League, and he adds that the Lithuanian Government has evidence that Warsaw is continuously instruct. ing Deligowski.

HARDING CONTROYERSY.

LONDON, UCTODET 231d. The recent controversy in America as regarde Senator Harding's statement has from the Paris paper Laberte, which states that its correspondent recently ques-Senator Harding declared that no official representative of France approached him and emphasises that the correspondent only carried ont his professional duties."

RUSSIAN OUTLO K.

STOCKHOLM, October 22nd. Lepin, addressing the Congress at Moscow, said that General Wrangel was the only danger and claimed that the Russian economic situation was strengthening despite the blockade. This is hardly borne out by the current budget which is published showing expenditure 1,150 milliard roubles and revenue 150 milliard roubles. Food and Commissariat are now estimated at 172 milliard roubles.

KING OF GREECE.

LONDON, October 22nd. The Rome Messagero is responsible for the sensational statement alleged to have been made by Professor Vidal, who has been attending the King of Greece.

Dr. Vidal declared that the monkey. which bit the king, was suffering from rables with which the menkey had been artificially inoculated. Hence an attempt on the king's life has been made.

THE IRISH SITUATION.

Lospos, October 22nd. In the House of Commons, Sir.L. Worth ington Evans moved the adoption of the Enancial resolutions of the Home Rule Bill, and said that the general scheme of finance provided for two years. Ireland contributed £15,000,000 towards the Imperial at Noon, services, the contribution being divided between Southern and Northern Ireland. HAILOUNG | Capt A. H. Stewart.... | TUESDAY, and Prox., at Noon. The Government will be empowered to reduce the contribution, if it thought it necessary after the second financial year, and thereafter the contribution will be subject to periodical revision at the end of every five years. The Government could lot agree to the transfer of the Customs duties, Income Tax and Super Tax to the Irish Parliament.

Sir Edward Carson said that the six Northern Counties would not shirk their share of the contribution. LONDON, October 23rd.

"A pairol of seven men of the Essex Regiment, which was being conveyed in a motor-forry, was ambushed by 120 Sinn Feiners in Co. Cork, and put up great resistance for an hour until three were Eilled and three wounded when the attackers made a bayonet charge on the solitary survivor and anocked him down. It is officially stated that the Sinn Peiners did not assist the wounded but searched the pockets of the dead and the wounded for

loot. No arrests were made. The first motor-lorry, containing import. ant despatches, burst through the ambush and escaped.

Lounou, October 22nd The Military Court, enquiring into the ambush of the police as Militown Malbay, on October 9th when two constables were killed has found that the men were wilfully murdered by about fifty unknown persons, that expanding bullets were used and that the deceased were robbed after their death.

LONDON, Uctober 22nd. Two policemen were silled and 6 wounded in an ambush whilst going by a motor-lorry from Bandon to Cork. It is officially announced that the new forces of the Constabulary which will be

recruited among well-disposed persons in Ireland will be divided into three classes; the first class will consist of whole time men entiated for a minimum of six months; the second class will consist of men undertaking to do occasional duty; and the third class will be called up only in case of an emergency and will only serve in the district convenient to itself.

. Lornon, October 22nd. Frequent and violent explosions of firing parts of Dublin. It is reported that the Government armoury has been raided. One report states that the raiders have captured a large quantity of arms, ammunition and bombs, and that the explosions are caused by the raiders maing the captured grenades in a running fight.

LONDON October 23rd It was litated at midnight that Mr. MacSwiney was at the point of death.

SWEDISH CABINET.

STOCKHOLM, October 22nd The Branting Cabinet has resigned

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Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature immediately.

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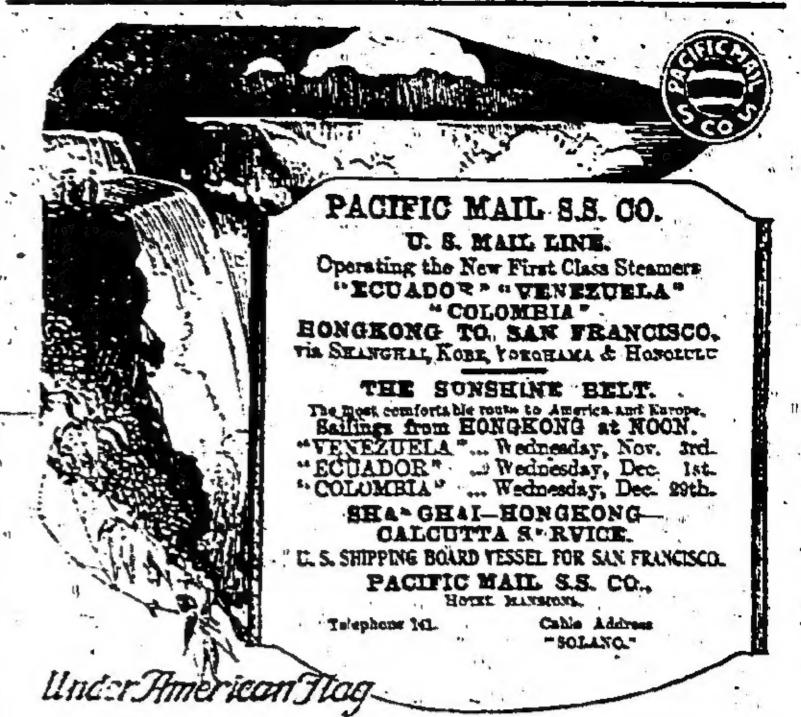
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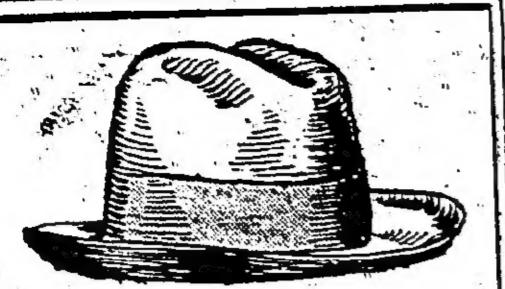
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LR.C. DEFEATS CIVIL SERVICE.

The Indians defeated the Civil Service, who had a weak team out by

five wickets. A feature of the game was the batting of A. H. Rumjahn, who scored 94 and the bowling of S. H. Ismail. Scores:

A. el Arculli, b Bevan 8 A. A. Rumjahn, b Bevan 3 A. A. Dusra, c and b Piercy 39 S. H. Ismail, c Chapman, b Bevan 37 A. H. Rumjahn, c Chapman, b K. Khan, not out I L. Weerapulli, not out-----

Extras

Total (for 5 wickets) -----199 Bowling Analysis

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H. E. Strange, b S. H. Ismail 19 P. T. Lamble, c Dusra, b A. A. Rumiahn

C. T. Brockbank, b A. A. Rumjahn W. H. Edmonds, std. A. H. Rumjahn, b A. A. Rumjahn H. F. Bevan, I.b.w., S. A. Ismail... I. Chapman, c A. H. Rumjahn, b S. H. Ismail C. Haskett, b S. H. Ismail C. J. Tacchi, not out

Bowling Analysis.

S. J. Silva, run out

A. A. Dusra..... 5 Weerapulli 4 S. H. Ismail..... 5 A. A. Rumjahn ... 4 S. A. Ismail 1

> H.M.S. "AMBROSE" DEPOT v. H.M.S. "TAMAR."

This match was played on the Navy ground at Happy Valley and resulted in a win for the "Ambrose." Scores:

H.M.S. "AMBROSE" DEPOT. Scawn, b Boyce..... Chambers, c Rivers, b Boyce Lieut. Macnair, b Evans Lieut. Hunt, c and b Greaves..... 13 Evens, c Marshall, b Evans Stanbury, b Evans Bryant, c Greaves, b Osbourne Pender, b Boyce -----Gadd, b Boyce Pass, not out..... Extras

Bowling Analysis.

Greaves, c Gadd, b Bryant 19 Coles, c Chambers, b Evans Taylor, c Pender, b Bryant-----Rivers, c Pass, b Bryant Boyce, c Stannard, b Byans Evans, b Bryant Holman, Lb.w., b Bryant...." Marshall, c and b Bryant Osbourne, b Chambers Roope, c Stanbury, b Chambers Viant, not out Extras

Total 44

Bowling Analysis.

Stannard 3 Chambers 1

STAFFS DEFEAT R.G.A. The Staffs inflicted a severe defeat on the R.G.A. by 85 runs. The Staff scored 107 runs and a feeble reply of 22 runs was made by the Gunners. Hollands" secured the wonderful record of 7 wickets at an average of less than two runs each. At one stage the Gunners had five wickets for 8 runs.

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"AT HOME."

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Mr. A. O. Brawn (the Vice Prefor so kindly consenting to perform to Kowloon's goal. the ceremony that afternoon. Mr. During the second half play was arrangements made, which had con- went with this score ruling. tributed in no small measure to the success of the event. He was glad game. to find, he said, that they had a good deal of new blood on the Committee. which he considered to be a promis-

ing sign for the future of the Club. Mrs. Forsyth then distributed the prizes won in the tournament and the

day's spoon competitions. The prize list follows. kong Cigar Store), Major Greenway; opponents. 2nd (presented by Messrs A. S.

and Whyte) Mr. B. D. Evans; 2nd Mr. R. Jewsbury.

(presented by Messrs. Robinson and Club two ahead.

Overy), Mr. M. L. Railton. Men's Handicap Doubles:-Ist worked hard to even up and kept the last week. Lieut. Thornton will (Wilts), Lieut. Sergeaunt (Wilts), St. Harvey), Messrs. W. J. and O. Wood- forwards getting very little to do, but Barret will act as linesmen. Com- Punjabis), Capt. Bristow (R.G.A.), man, 2nd (presented by Messrs. the score remained unchanged right mander R. Turner will attend and Capt. Hewitt (R.G.A.) Lieut. Mor-Raiston and -Herridge), Messrs. up to the end of the game. 1.30 10 1 Adraham and Stalker.

Mixed Handicap Doubles: Ist (presented by Messra, Donnithorne and Abraham), Major and Mrs.

W. A. Wilkie. Handicap Doubles (American tourns - played good football."

Below are given the tables of the ment). "A" Section - 1st (pre- The Wilts were the first to score, football league at home the results of Highy and Overy). Mr. and Mrs. Hugh put the R.G.A. one ahead. Richmond: 2nd (presented by the Keen play-then-followed, both-Club), Miss Neave and Mr. P. W. A. goalies being called upon to save

Wilkie. Jewsbury's team (Messrs Crocker, goal and excitement ran high.

of flowers. She was accorded three scored for the R.G.A.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL.

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

Ten matches were down for decision on Saturday, four First and six Second League, but owing to the small number of grounds available. only eight were played, these including two on the Railway Ground at Kowloon. This ground, according to all accounts, is hardly one on which League football should be

FIRST LEAGUE.

Kowloon 3 Tamar H. K. Club 2 Carlisle R. G. A. 3 Wilts. 2 Rather heavier scoring than

usual in local First Division footer be noticed from Saturday's results, showing that the winning forwards were not weak in front of The Chub's victory over the

Carlisle, and that of the R.G.A. over the Wilts rather surprised local football enthusiasts, in both cases the losers having been put down for wins by popular opinion.

KOWLOON P. TAMAR.

Kicking off, on the Navy ground against a strong sun, Kowloon had the ball soon in enemy territory. . A few minutes after the start from a centre from Evelyn, Clemo took the ball past the Tamar, left back and put kowloon one up.

offensive, finding the Kowloon backs well prepared, and it was not long chances at their opponents' goal.

Soon after this Townsend by sident of the Club), in introducing! splendid individual effort added a Mrs. Forsyth, expressed pleasure second goal to Kowloon's score, the welcoming her once more rest of the first half seeing the Navy amongst.members and thanked her trying their utmost to break through

Brawn also expressed indebtedness very even, both sides missing easy to Mr. Herridge and the energetic openings. Townsend for Kowlcon Sub-Committee for the splendid scored their third goal, and full time Mr. Cheesely was in charge of the

CLUB v. CARLISLE.

Played on the Club ground this match attracted the biggest gate of the afternoon. It was an exceedingly Championship: 1st (cup presented well contested game, the Carlisle, by Dr. C. Forsyth to be won three although losing by two goals having times, and a cup given by the Hong- quite as much of the game as their

From the start the Club forwards Watson & Co., Ltd.), Mr. B. D. Evans. | became dangerous and Sandberg, at "A" Class Singles Hardicap: 1st centre took advantage of an opening (presented by the Messrs. Donnelly early on put in a fine shot which found the net.

"B" Class Singles Handicap: 1st very sound, Rodgers at centre half "L 7," which last week resulted in Capt. Murray (LM.S., Capt.), Lieut. Gresented by Messrs, Lane Crawford playing a very safe game. The Club a goalless draw, will take place on Bevan (Wilts), and Lieut. Mockridge Total100 and Co.), Mr. C. E. Millward; 2nd then pressed and Sandberg put the fine Navy ground, Happy Valley this (R.G.A.); half backs: Lieut. Emerson

Referee . . . Mr. Birkenshaw. the match.

OBTAINABLE

R.G.A. & WILTSHIRES.

This match, played on the Sookum-Greenaway: 2nd (presented by Mr. pco Valley was very fast and well B. D. Evans). Miss Neave and Mr. P. contested, the result being in doubt right up to the end of the game. Saturday's Competitions :- Mixed Both sets of forwards were keen and

by Messrs. Highy and Evans being responsible. The R.G.A. Overy), Miss Frost and Mr. R. Y. however did not let things stand Frost; 2nd (presented by the like this long, Watson equalizing Club) Mr. and Mrs. Railton. B. soon afterwards, and after bombard-Section:-1st (presented by Messrs, ing the Wilts' goal persistently, Mc-

Men's Handicap Doubles (Sides): After a fine forward movement -1st (presented by the Club) Mr. Manham scored the Wilts' second

Ramsey, Avenell, Staple and Play in the second half was very quick, the ball rapidly going from one Mrs Forsyth was thanked by Mr. end to the other, neither side having Brawn and presented with a bouquet any distinct advantage, until Best

hearty cheers. Dr. Forsyth, on behalf . The referee, Mr. Wells, then disof his wife, made brief acknowledge allowed a penalty goal scored by the W. Bromwich A = 5 0 1 4 2 5 Wilts as the Wilts' players had encroached into the penalty area when the kick was taken.

The game went to the R.G.A.

SECOND LEAGUE.

CLUB' RESERVES r. PUNJABIS.

This match rather surprised the Notes County - 5 spectators, the Indians getting "an i unexpected victory over their opponents. The Punjabis play a very sound and clean game and should do well in their ensuing matches.

The Club were the first to score, May converting from a penalty kick. The Indians then got going, and from | Wolverhampton W 5 2 3 0 .. 4 6 a centre from their right wing Lt. Nottingham F ... 4 1-1 2 3 6 Emmerson equalised. In the second half the Punjabis had far the best of Birmingham the game. Hamilton in goal being responsible for a good few saves for The Wednesday 4 0 1 3 1 3 the Club. The inside right for the Stockport County 4 1 3 0 9 11 Indians finally scored another goal; and the game ended with the Punjabis winning 2-1.

CLUB RECREIO v. United.

This match was played on the Sookumpoo Valley, Mr. Clements

The United were too weak for their opponents, who will go far in the Merthyr Town ... 5 2 Second League, and went down to Gillingham 5 2 .I the tune of 40, "Concepcao for Recreio doing the hat trick, with S. V. Xavier scoring the fourth goal.

R.G.A. RESERVES v. INDIANS.

The match was very even, both sets of forwards being very quick and tricky. There was no score till The Navy team then tried the near the finish when the Gunners scored the winning goal.

The referee was Mr. Holland.

The Railway ground on which this match was played is not suitable for League Football, being much too Hearts'. small and badly marked and cut.

The Oilers were the first to score. Munroe putting the ball into the net, but Spree for Kowloon equalized soon aftwards and Young scored Kowloon's winning goal in the second

STAFFS v. S. CHINA (B).

Playing several first league players Dumbarton the Chinese had all their work cut Ayr United 8 1 out in keeping the Staffs from their goal, the game proving rather lucky for the Athletic, who left the ground,

winners by 4-1. Mr. Barnes refereed both the Railway Ground matches.

NAVY CUP THE REPLAY.

AMBROSE" STOKERS v.L 7.

The replay in the final of the p.m. to-day:-2 (presented by Capt. D. W. Ritchie), Pressing hard after this the Carlisle "Ambrose" cup competition between Back :- Pte. Phillips (Wilts); three forwards found the Club defence the "Ambrose" Stokers and the quarters: Capt. Tommory (R.A.M.C.), In the second half the Carlisle The teams will remain the same as (R.G.A.); forwards: Lieut. Dodington

HOME POOTBALL.

THE LEAGUE TABLES.

LATEST RESULTS.

Saturday, Sept. 11 being included: 1st Division:

P. W. L. D. F. A. Pts.

Middlesbrough _ 5 0 3 2 5 9 2 Second Division.

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Third Division.

P. W. L. D. F. A. Pts. Freter Lity 5 2 0 3 8 Crystal Palace..... 5 3 1 1 6 Q-cen's Park R ... 5 3 2 0 8 Playmouth Argyle. 5 Luton Town 5 2 2 Southend United 5 2 3 0 6 Norwich City 5 0 1 4 2 3 Grimsby Town...... 5 2 Brighton & H. ... 5 1 3 1 3 8

Swanses Town ... 5 I 2 1 2 10 Newport County __ 5 0 ,5 0 3 15 SCOTTISH LEAGUE

TO-DAY'S PRACTICE GAME.

The following will represent the Army in a practice Rugby football match to be played at Happy Valley against the "Ambrose" team at

evening, kick off at 4 p.m. sharp. (22nd Punjabis), and Lieut. Davies present the Cup at the conclusion of timer (R.G.A.) and Lieut. Bingham!

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The Autumn-Winter season of the Hongkong Volley Ball league was commenced last week, and several matches have already been played off. The entries for the league have been good, resulting in the formation of three divisions - Senior, Junior and Small Boys. A printed fixture list can be obtained on application to Secretary, Mr. S. Tsi-keung, c.o. the

> SHOOTING. POLICE PRACTICE.

shoot at King's Park range, Kowloon, now having seen the picture. yesterday, for the purpose of choo-

coming Rifle League. and Sub-Inspector Booker shot well fly-by-night, rush-to-release producat the 200, 500 and 600-yard ranges, tion. Every scene and practically scoring 128 out of a possible 150. every gesture is well thought out and good form, doing particularly well been beautifully directed. at the 500-yard range, in which he Clarence G. Badger, its director,

scored ten "bulls" out of ten. From all indications, the Police screen directors. promise to have a formidable team in the league which commences in the second week in November.

CANTON TROUBLE.

NEWSPAPERS SUPPRESSED. TUCHUN MU'S ORDER. The Canton Times and all other

newspapers in Canton had to suspend

publication from the 22nd inst. by order of Mu Yung-hsien, command ing the Kwangsi troops in Kwang-

s tung, who still claims to be Tuchun of the province. Since the withdrawal of the censors by the administration under Mu Yung-hsien in Canton on September 26th last, newspapers have been able to publish whatever news they saw fit to print, and comments have not been favourable to the Kwangsi Party. To prevent further Piess support to the Cantonese cause, the Kwangsi Party has ordered the suspension of all newspapers in Canton, the order reaching the Canton Press Association late in the evening of October 22nd, when some journals had already gone to pressaction is declared to have no parallel in the Press history of Canton. It is not believed that the order will stand

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The following review of "Str Confidential," to-night's superproduction at the Coronet is taken from a leading New York theatrical journal. It should convince cinemagoers that the Little House is worth

a visit between now and Thursday. "Strictly Confidential" is a picture that is a credit to the industry. In the first place, the original story is from the pen of a humourist of international fame, Jerome K. Jerome, it first appearing in book form under the title of "Fanny and the Servant Problem," and later as a play entitled The New Lady Bantock." We neither read the book nor saw the

The Police held a successful play, for which we are sorry after Without the aid of spoken lines sing a team to represent the Hong- and with comparatively few sub-titles kong Police Rifle Club in the forth- the story has been transferred to the screen with no apparent loss of the Sub-Inspector McNab Wilson, M.C., author's rich humour. This is no Sub-Inspector Evans was also in its value made the most of. It has

> should step into the first rank of It is comedy of the higher sort but has a universal appeal because it covers the whole range of society from the servant class to the English aristocrazy, stage included. Also it once in a while makes a tiny pilgrimage just over the border into farce, which should widen its appeal even more. The higher class of audience will be delighted with this picture. but so will the average. It seems a

superior combination of artistic and business values. Madge Kennedy is not only vivacious and charming in the part. but is mistress of the comedy secret, spontaneity. Obviously she worked hard. The acting of Herbert Standing, Robert Bolden, John Bowors, and practically every member of the cast is worthy of more mention than we have room for here. Also the

continuity is beyond criticism. When Fannie returns to the castle as Lady Bantock, its stilted, old fashioned, vicar worshipping in habitants are accentuated against her red-blooded charms. It would be interesting to know just how many people will see themselves portrayed in this film without realising it, and place their sympathy against

their own characteristics besides. There are also several little pieces of business which are not only clever but artistic. And although it is essentially comedy, here and there crops out a poignant heart interest which keeps your sympathy always awake. This is a sure fire hit from every standpoint, and not least is the fact that when the last few feet of film are run off the play keeps on working by sending you away with a pleasant and wholesome idea of

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Acting Manager,

GOLF. CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFYING

The qualifying round of the Gol Club was played off at Fanling on Sunday. The scores follow.

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COMMENTS BY "JIGGER."

several good scores were returned a tour of China and Japan reports T. W. Hill's 84, and 83 was really a the San Francisco Chronicle. splendid performance when one re- " The clash with the Chinese pirates, members that the course is becoming roccurred while Verehoeff and his quite hard and that none of our daughter, accompanied by several golfers have yet got used to the American tourists, were aboard a winter conditions. When the dry small launch on the Amur river. weather comes in Hongkong the some distance from Harbin. The course at Farling is quite different attack on the launch which carried from what it is at other times of the Americans, came soon after the the year and as this is the beginning boat grounded on a sandbar. of the dry season I frankly did not! The launch had been grounded only expect to see many scores in the a few minutes before several samvicinity of 85. The hard going in pans crowded with pirates, closed in. the winter out here fatters "the Warned by the crew that pirates average golfer off the tee, but shows were about to attack the launch. him up very badly in the short "Verenceff" and his daughter hastily

At home you can pitch on to the at the bottom of the launch. green and expect to stay there, and | The captain of the launch threw the golfer who can cut his mashie himself on the bottom of the boat, shots, can play right up to the pin: refusing to fight the pirates; all of but except after a spell of rain this whom carried murderous-looking is impossible at Fanling. Many knives. players discard the mashie altogether | As the pirates swarmed aboard the in the winter and run up with a launch, their leader, in pidgin light iron, and the player who can English, ordered the Americans and perfect this shot is the one who is the crew to "line up." Every going to return low scores. Also passenger was stripped of his the greens are very fiery at this valuables. time and putting on fiery greens is. The pirates then started for the

played on the knock-out principle the pirates showed that the Ameriand I shall not be able to spot proba- cans lost \$1,000 and a number of ble winners until after to-morrow curios. evenirg when the draw takes place.

I must specially mention T. S. savorrs of the present Open Chantpion's performance in the last two founds after a bad start in the two previous rounds; and only a born golfer could hope not only to qualify after a morning score of 102; but to lower that score by almost 20 strckes. Forrest is an old Champion and a well known figure at Fanling and if the Gods are kind to him in the draw he might surprise the more fancied and younger golfers. I hope to see some of the matches next week and to give details of the

K.C.C. v. K.B.G.C.

The Golf Sections of the Kowloon Cricket Club and the Kowloon Bowling Green Club met in a "match at Kings Park on Saturday, the Bowling Club winning by a small margin, The pairs were played off in the morning and at the conclusion tiffin was served in the Bowling Green Club where Mr. W. T. Elson, who caprained the K.C.C. team, recommended that monthly matches be arranged between the U.S.R.C., K.C.C.

and K.B.G.C. The results follow:

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T. Elson (10)......... G W. Avenell (12) (H. E. Stevens, (14)..... A. W. E. Davidson (15)...... P. Heathcote (18) 0 W. J. Edwards (18) C. M. W. Reynolds (24) ZI. McMurtrie (20)......

In the doubles the K.C.C. were successful, winning by 32 to 22.

Scores: W. T. Elson, and G. W. Avenell H. E. Stevens, and A. W. E. P. Heathcote, and W. J. Edwards C. R. B. Newton, and C. M. W. Reynolds McMurtrie, and J. H. Kynoch... V. C. Labrum, and A. G. Pile.....

I. Parkes and O. Mackay W. O. Lambert and R. Dixon ----J. D. Brown and T. Ramsey I. S. Gardner and J. Morrison G. Cooper, and J. McLaggan F. S. Cooke, and F. H. Crapnell ...

K.B.C. won by 91 games to 81. CHINESE PIBATES.

AMERICAN'S ROBBED.

THRILLING TOURIST STORY.

A brush with Chinese pirates dur ing which two of her defenders were slain and her own life imperilled, is a memory still vivid to Miss Marion B. Vereboeff, daughter of Frederick Verehoeff, New York textile manu-Sunday's golf at Fanling resulted facturer, who reached San Francisco in some very interesting play and on the steamship "Venezuela" after

hid \$3,000 under a piece of matting

an art in itself. I wonder how many crew. One of the Chinese launchplayers took three or even more men whipped out a knife and lunged putts on the greens on Sunday. ... at the pirate leader. At the same B. D. C. Morgan, R. M. Smith. H. instant, Walter P. James, an American G. Bagnall, W. D. Kraft, N. L. Smith with the party, grappled with anand T. S. Forrest all showed that other pirate and wrested a knife they are to be taken into considera- from him. Every member of the crew tion in naming the probable Cham- and the passengers, with the exceppion. At present Bagnall is a strong tion of Miss Verehooff, gave battle favourite in many quarters with to the pirates, forcing them to jump Hill also fancied. Of course a great overboard. Two of the crew memdeal depends upon the draw as all bers were dead when the fight ended. Amateur Championships in Golf are A check of the loot obtained by

Former's 83 in the afternoon. It LATEST SHIPPING NEWS. ARRIVALA.

> Simpson, 1,092 tons, arrived this 785 tons of general cargo and 363 bags of mail.

979 tens, arrived this morning at 6.30 a.m. from Hoihow with 1,400 Philippine Islands tons of general cargo.

DEPARTURES."

The s.s. "Hydrangea." Captain general cargo.

The s.s. "Colorado Springs," Capt, Armstrong, sails for Saigon at 6 p.m. to-day with 700 tons of general

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The s.s. "Allinga," British, cleared te-day and will sail for Wuhu via Shanghai at 6 a.m., to-morrow.

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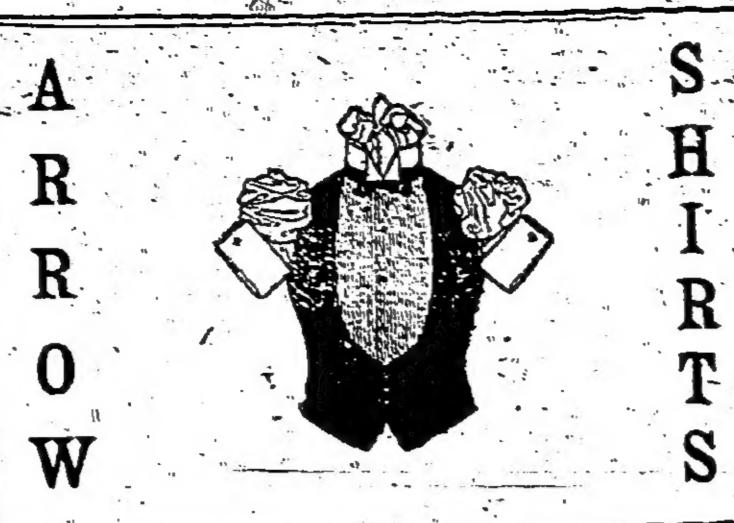
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orning at 4 a.m. from Manila with Straits, Bangkok, Ceylon, Maniting, South Africa, L. Marques, India via Dha-nushkodi. Egypt & EUROPE via MARSEILLES. Registration 9.45 a.m. Letters 10:30 a.m. The s.s. "Loksang," Capt. Mattock, Swatow, Amoy and Foochow Straits and Bangkok 1 p.m.

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SHANGHAI MAN'S DEATH TRAGEDY IN SZECHUEN.

KILLED BY YUNNANDSE.

Yunnanese, struck him.

Dodwell & Co., says the N.C.D. few months ago. "Welt," and for five months was on is what is wanted and just now

Colombo he went with the "Wolf" as far south as the Cape of Good Hope, and then as far north as Icoland, ultimately reaching Germany. Here he was interned for the duration of the war.

Mr. Covil returned to China in Peking, October, 20.-Mr. Covil. August, 1919, joining the Asiatic The s.s. "Luchow," British, cleared a representative of the Asiatic Petro- Petroleum Co., and few months to-day and will sail for Bangkok via leum Co., was shot and killed at Chung. ago, being sent to Szechuan. His king recently. It appears that the tragic death there brings home Yunnan troops, driven out of Chung- to us the terrible state of un-The s.s. "Kaifong," Br., cleared king crossed the river and maintained settlement prevalent in that to-day and will sail for Haiphong via a straggling fire, directed at the province, where soldiers and opposite bank and at river-craft bandits are permitted full scope for Mr. Covil with four companions was their brutalifies. This state of affairs The s.s. "Devawongse," Br., cleared crossing the river in a motor launch, has existed too long, and it is high when a bullet, obviously fired by the time that the militarists there received a very severe lesson.

Mr. Covil first came to China 10 or The deceased's brother is Mr. W 12 years ago, and intending to enter Covil of the Hongkong and Shanghai the tea trade, joined the firm of Bank, who was in Shanghai until a

While there has been no report of the of happenings in the local shipping Co., trouble it is known it is not a case of in the field. no news being good news, writes After the outbreak of war he un- | "Janix" in the Skinghai Mercary. In unique experience. fact, rumour has it that the reverse ravelling Home with the object is the case and that any week now enlisting, he was taken prisoner we may be in the middle of # strike by the notorious German raider on the part of the men. Arbitration pard her during her piratical critise. seems to be the question on which Captured within two days of reaching everything bedges.

CORRESPONDENCE.

[To the Editor of the" China Mail.

Sir, -The sonner by Christopher Plantin in Saturday's Mail is worthy of more thought and care in the translation than I or the Adversarian (expect) can give it. Nevertheless inability is no excuse.

LE BONHEUR DE CE MONDE-A_home sufficient, comfortable, nest, With high and scented hedges, blossom-crowned.

Where fruits of vine and earth and love abound. Servants, a wife and little ones to

Where debts, intrigues, the law, have set no feet. No parents need support, no strife is

Where little's much, and scorns the rich man's pound;

There liberty and justice reign com Free from ambition's bonds, in equal

Worshipping, heart-free, should the heart dictate. His passions conquered. Man may

rest secure Strong in his manhood and in judgment ripeprayer his silent solace. like

Awaiting Death with his salvation

-KEITH WEST.

N.B.-My French is rusty, but have tried to retain the spirit as far as I could. May I point out to the Adversarian that the poem has already been adequately translated in an English rhyme of about the same date, in which occur the well-known lines :--

The roses round the door Make me love Mother more . . I cannot at the moment lay my hand

on a copy.-K.W. October 24, 1920.

The theft of a large sum of money occurred on board the P.M.S. "Venezuela" between 5 p.m. on the 8th instant and 11 a.m., on the 9th instant, \$50,000 belonging to six Chinese passengers being taken. The theft was not discovered till the steamer had cleared from Yokohama. Upon the steamer arriving at Kobe on the atternoon of the 10th instant the Water Police were communicated with. Detective made inquiries of the captain and the Chinese passengers, and a Chinese waiter, an acquaintance of the victims, was found to have landed when the steamer was about to leave Yokohama. His whereabouts are unknown.

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